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FM AMEMBASSY LONDON

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INFO AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY ROME PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY PARIS PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, ET, US

SUBJECT: CLOSURE OF CONSULATES IN ASMARA

REFERENCE: STATE 92355

BRITISH ENCOUNTERED NO DIFFICULTY WITH THE CLOSURE OF
THEIR CONSULATE IN ASMARA. THE EPMG APPARENTLY PRE-
EMPTED A DECISION WHICH HMG HAD BEEN INTENDING TO MAKE
SOON IN ANY EVENT. THE OFFICE OF THE HONORARY BRITISH
CONSUL WAS VACANT. THERE WAS A VICE CONSUL OF ETHIOPIAN
NATIONALITY WHO SIMPLY CLOSED UP SHOP AND MOVED TO
ADDIS ABABA. THE BRITISH DO NOT PLAN TO PROTEST THE
ETHIOPIAN ACTION. SPIERS

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Message Attributes

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